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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, on the west side of Henry street, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at a point 70 feet 5 inches north of Wythe street; thence north on Henry street 25 feet; thence east and parallel to Wythe street 50 feet 5 inches to a 10 foot alley; thence south and binding on said alley 35 feet; thence east in a straight line 50 feet 5 inches to the point of beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

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MAY SAVE THE LORDS.

It is seen now that the British government will return with substantially the same majority as it had before the dissolution of parliament, and the future course of the elections has less live interest than the question of what will happen when parliament actually meets. This forms the subject of a very determined discussion in the columns of the party newspapers and in the speeches of public men.

Lord Rosebery said at the beginning of the elections in a speech that should the government suffer a loss of only five seats it could not pass the veto bill. This contention has been taken up by the unionist press, which argues that unless the government secures an increased majority it will have no mandate to deal with the House of Lords.

The liberals, on the other hand, contend that not only will the government have a majority larger than that of former strong unionist ministers, but that the nation has now thrice in succession given the liberal government a vote of confidence.

To this the unionists reply that the question of a change in the constitution is on quite a different plane than ordinary legislation and they point out that specific majorities are required in the United States and in other countries before the constitution can be changed.

Everybody, however, appears to be in the dark as to the actual possibilities of the situation and many are of the opinion that it may still be settled by negotiation and compromise.

Both sides appear equally confident of gaining a few more seats the coming week. Up to the present 504 seats out of 670 have been filled. The relative position of the two parties is exactly the same in the new parliament as in the old, each having gained twenty-one seats from the other.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

PRESENCE OF MIND OF PRIEST.

Rev. James J. Kane, rector of St. Raphael's Roman Catholic Church, in Philadelphia, yesterday morning probably prevented injuries to many of his congregation if not several deaths from panic when he calmly continued chanting the 10 o'clock mass in the church while smoke from a fire in the basement poured through the cracks in the floor just beneath the altar rail, later to be followed by flames.

The fire apparently had been smoldering for a long time, having caught from an overheated furnace. During the mass the church sexton notified the priest that the building was on fire and received whispered instructions to call the fire department and attack the flames with the fire extinguishers with which the building was supplied.

After giving these instructions Father Kane calmly went on with the services. At the end the smoke became so dense that the congregation could hardly see the priest, but could hear his voice coming to them through the pall of smoke.

With the mass over the members of the congregation, of whom fortunately there were few, owing to the inclement weather, started in a mad rush for the doors. Calmly Father Kane stepped before the altar rail and notified the panic-stricken persons that the service was not over until they had left the edifice and that they were supposed to go out quietly and not like a lot of stampeded cattle.

The calmness of the priest reassured the members of the congregation and they passed quietly into the street. Immediately afterward Father Kane divested himself of his ecclesiastical garments and became a real firefighter to such a good purpose that when the fire department arrived the fire was under control.

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Charging that their pastor, Rev. Richard Scotts had told stories "that made them blush" and that he had injected unnecessary and unholy spice into his conversation, prominent women of the Charlton, Mass., Congregational Church testified to their pastor at the annual church meeting Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Wakefield told of some disagreeable things that she said had happened while Mr. Scotts was in her house, and said she had vowed never again to attend the church. She said boys came to her and repeated stories

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Paper-shell Almonds, lb. 22c
Soft-shell Walnuts, lb. 23c
French Walnuts, lb. 18c
Sicily Filberts, lb. 12c
Brazil Nuts, lb. 18c
Pecans, lb. 25c
Good Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs. 25c
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Raisins, Dates, Figs and Currants
Seeded Raisins, pkg. 10c
Seedless Raisins, pkg. 10c
Sultana Raisins, pkg. 15c
Layer Raisins, lb. 12c
Washed Figs, in baskets. 20c
A & P Dates, pkg. 5c
Pitted Dates, pkg. 12c
Currants, pkg. 10c
R & R Plum Pudding, can. 23c and 45c

Select Fruit
Florida Oranges, dozen. 25c and 30c
Grape Fruit, doz. 6c and 7c
Table Apples, doz. 25c
Malaga Grapes, lb. 15c

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December Clearance Sale

Women's & Misses' Outergarment

Readjusting stocks brings to light the fact that our assortments of Women's and Misses' Ready-to-wear Apparel are larger than we ordinarily carry at this time of the year; and in order to reduce the several stocks to their proper proportions we inaugurated this morning a Special Clearance Sale of Outer Garments, comprising Silk and Wool Dresses, Imported and Domestic Suits, Day and Evening Coats, Imported and Domestic Waists, Sweaters, &c.

These are all high-class productions—creations of the leading foreign and domestic manufacturers—in this season's latest and most fashionable styles, designs, and effects—not a few of which are exclusive. The time of the year, the character of the garments, and the special prices make this a sale of importance, and should appeal forcibly to all having such needs.

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CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 5, 1910.

To the holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds: The following bonds drawn for redemption by lot, in accordance with the terms of the mortgage, will be paid at the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with accrued interest, on JANUARY 1, 1911. Interest on said bonds will cease on January 1, 1911.

Nos. 2, 15, 30, 45, 60, 75, 90, 105, 120, 135, 150, 165, 180, 195, 210, 225, 240, 255, 270, 285, 300, 315, 330, 345, 360, 375, 390, 405, 420, 435, 450, 465, 480, 495, 510, 525, 540, 555, 570, 585, 600, 615, 630, 645, 660, 675, 690, 705, 720, 735, 750, 765, 780, 795, 810, 825, 840, 855, 870, 885, 900, 915, 930, 945, 960, 975, 990, 1005, 1020, 1035, 1050, 1065, 1080, 1095, 1110, 1125, 1140, 1155, 1170, 1185, 1200, 1215, 1230, 1245, 1260, 1275, 1290, 1305, 1320, 1335, 1350, 1365, 1380, 1395, 1410, 1425, 1440, 1455, 1470, 1485, 1500, 1515, 1530, 1545, 1560, 1575, 1590, 1605, 1620, 1635, 1650, 1665, 1680, 1695, 1710, 1725, 1740, 1755, 1770, 1785, 1800, 1815, 1830, 1845, 1860, 1875, 1890, 1905, 1920, 1935, 1950, 1965, 1980, 1995, 2010, 2025, 2040, 2055, 2070, 2085, 2100, 2115, 2130, 2145, 2160, 2175, 2190, 2205, 2220, 2235, 2250, 2265, 2280, 2295, 2310, 2325, 2340, 2355, 2370, 2385, 2400, 2415, 2430, 2445, 2460, 2475, 2490, 2505, 2520, 2535, 2550, 2565, 2580, 2595, 2610, 2625, 2640, 2655, 2670, 2685, 2700, 2715, 2730, 2745, 2760, 2775, 2790, 2805, 2820, 2835, 2850, 2865, 2880, 2895, 2910, 2925, 2940, 2955, 2970, 2985, 3000, 3015, 3030, 3045, 3060, 3075, 3090, 3105, 3120, 3135, 3150, 3165, 3180, 3195, 3210, 3225, 3240, 3255, 3270, 3285, 3300, 3315, 3330, 3345, 3360, 3375, 3390, 3405, 3420, 3435, 3450, 3465, 3480, 3495, 3510, 3525, 3540, 3555, 3570, 3585, 3600, 3615, 3630, 3645, 3660, 3675, 3690, 3705, 3720, 3735, 3750, 3765, 3780, 3795, 3810, 3825, 3840, 3855, 3870, 3885, 3900, 3915, 3930, 3945, 3960, 3975, 3990, 4005, 4020, 4035, 4050, 4065, 4080, 4095, 4110, 4125, 4140, 4155, 4170, 4185, 4200, 4215, 4230, 4245, 4260, 4275, 4290, 4305, 4320, 4335, 4350, 4365, 4380, 4395, 4410, 4425, 4440, 4455, 4470, 4485, 4500, 4515, 4530, 4545, 4560, 4575, 4590, 4605, 4620, 4635, 4650, 4665, 4680, 4695, 4710, 4725, 4740, 4755, 4770, 4785, 4800, 4815, 4830, 4845, 4860, 4875, 4890, 4905, 4920, 4935, 4950, 4965, 4980, 4995, 5010, 5025, 5040, 5055, 5070, 5085, 5100, 5115, 5130, 5145, 5160, 5175, 5190, 5205, 5220, 5235, 5250, 5265, 5280, 5295, 5310, 5325, 5340, 5355, 5370, 5385, 5400, 5415, 5430, 5445, 5460, 5475, 5490, 5505, 5520, 5535, 5550, 5565, 5580, 5595, 5610, 5625, 5640, 5655, 5670, 5685, 5700, 5715, 5730, 5745, 5760, 5775, 5790, 5805, 5820, 5835, 5850, 5865, 588